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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to United States Patent and Trademark Office correspondence denying our Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. §1.322 filed June 22, 2006, applicant states the following.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 3.11, applicant submitted on February 26, 2004 Assignment of invention to Aluma Enterprises, Inc., as recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 015029, Frame 0969; and on August 23, 2005, applicant submitted Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) wherein Aluma Enterprises, Inc. assigned invention to Brand Services, Inc., as recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 016360, Frame 0630. Both the Assignment and Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) were filed before issuance of the patent.

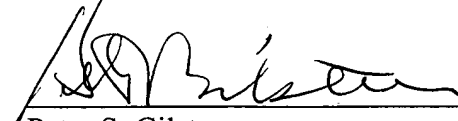
Regrettably, Aluma Enterprises, Inc. was incorrectly listed as the Assignee on the Issue Fee Transmittal form. It is therefore requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued. The Certificate of Correction, reflecting this correction, is provided herewith in duplicate. Entry thereof is required so that the copies requested of the patent will be in accordance with the assignment records of the Office.

This inadvertent error incurred without fault of the Office, and a check in the amount of \$100.00 was provided with our Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 CFR §1.322 filed June 22, 2006 (copy enclosed).

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It is certified that error(s) appear(s) in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

The name of Assignee is incorrect and should be:
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Sir:

Subject issued Letters Patent erroneously names the assignee. Specifically, the patent was assigned to Brand Services, Inc. (as recorded on Reel/Frame 016360/0630 of the United States Patent and Trademark Office); however, on the Issue Fee Transmittal, Aluma Enterprises, Inc. was incorrectly listed as assignee. This inadvertent error incurred without fault of the Office. Accordingly, a check in the amount of \$100.00 is provided herewith for the required fee. It is therefore requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued. The Certificate of Correction, reflecting this correction, is provided herewith in duplicate. Entry thereof is required so that the copies requested of the patent will be in accordance with the assignment records of the Office.

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